United Nations S/PV.5396

Security Council

Sixty-first year

Provisional

5396th meeting

Friday, 24 March 2006, 6.20 p.m.

New York

President:	Mr. Mayoral	(Argentina)
Members:	China	Mr. Li Junhua
	Congo	Mr. Gayama
	Denmark	Mr. Faaborg-Andersen
	France	Mr. De La Sablière
	Ghana	Nana Effah-Apenteng
	Greece	Mrs. Papadopoulou
	Japan	Mr. Haneda
	Peru	Mr. Gallardo
	Qatar	Mr. Al-Bader
	Russian Federation	Mr. Demin
	Slovakia	Mr. Burian
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Mr. Johnston
	United Republic of Tanzania	Mr. Mahiga
	United States of America	Ms. Wolcott Sanders

Agenda

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan

Monthly report of the Secretary-General on Darfur (S/2006/148)

Report of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (S/2006/160)

This record contains the text of speeches delivered in English and of the interpretation of speeches delivered in the other languages. The final text will be printed in the *Official Records of the Security Council*. Corrections should be submitted to the original languages only. They should be incorporated in a copy of the record and sent under the signature of a member of the delegation concerned to the Chief of the Verbatim Reporting Service, room C-154A.

06-28215 (E)

The meeting was called to order at 6.20 p.m.

Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted.

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan

Monthly report of the Secretary-General on Darfur (S/2006/148)

Report of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (S/2006/160)

The President (*spoke in Spanish*): The Security Council will now begin its consideration of the item on its agenda.

The Security Council is meeting in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

Members of the Council have before them document S/2006/148, containing the monthly report of the Secretary-General on Darfur, and document S/2006/160, containing the report of the Secretary-General on the Sudan.

Members of the Council also have before them document S/2006/179, which contains the text of a draft resolution prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

I should like to draw attention to two revisions to the draft resolution. In operative paragraph 4, the phrase beginning in the second part of the fourth line of the English text should read "expedite the necessary preparatory planning for transition of AMIS to a United Nations operation". The third line of operative paragraph 6 of the English text should read "support AMIS during transition to a United Nations operation".

It is my understanding that the Security Council is ready to proceed to the vote on the draft resolution before it (S/2006/179), as orally revised. If I hear no objection, I shall now put the draft resolution, as orally revised, to the vote.

There being no objection, it is so decided.

A vote was taken by show of hands.

In favour:

Argentina, China, Congo, Denmark, France, Ghana, Greece, Japan, Peru, Qatar, Russian Federation, Slovakia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America

The President (*spoke in Spanish*): There were 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution, as orally revised, has been adopted unanimously as resolution 1663 (2006).

The Security Council has thus concluded the present stage of its consideration of the item on its agenda.

The meeting rose at 6.25 p.m.